



13281 U.S. PTO

# BIRCH, STEWART, KOLASCH & BIRCH, LLP

INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY LAW

8110 GATEHOUSE ROAD  
SUITE 100 EAST  
FALLS CHURCH, VA 22042-1248  
USA

(703) 205-8000  
FAX: (703) 205-8050  
(703) 698-8590 (G IV)

e-mail: mailroom@bskb.com  
web: http://www.bskb.com

OTHER OFFICES:  
CARLSBAD, CALIFORNIA  
COSTA MESA, CALIFORNIA  
LOS ANGELES, CALIFORNIA

17858 U.S. PTO  
10/727569



Date: December 5, 2003

Docket No.: 2121-0179P

## MS PATENT APPLICATION

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Transmitted herewith for filing under 37 C.F.R. § 1.53(b), is a Continuation application of PCT International Application No. PCT/EP02/07064 filed on June 6, 2002. The present application is filed on behalf of the inventor(s) according to the provisions of 37 C.F.R. §1.41(c).

Inventors: TOVEY, Michael

For: TRANSCRIPTIONAL REGULATOR OF GENES INVOLVED IN THE  
CONTROL OF CELL GROWTH OR CELL PROLIFERATION. USE OF  
SAID REGULATOR AS A THERAPEUTIC OR DIAGNOSTIC AGENT.

Enclosed are:

- ☒ A specification consisting of fifty-six (56) pages
- ☒ Twenty-eight (28) sheet(s) of formal drawings
- ☐ Applicant claims small entity status under 37 C.F.R. § 1.27.
- ☐ Applicant does not claim priority

- ☒ Applicant claims the right of priority under the provisions of 35 U.S.C. § 119 and 37 C.F.R. § 1.55(a) based on Application No(s). 01401476.5 filed in Europe on June 7, 2001.
- ☐ Certified copy(ies) is(are) attached hereto.
- ☒ Certified copy(ies) will follow.
- ☒ Priority of PCT International Application No. PCT/EP02/07064 filed on June 6, 2002 is claimed under 35 U.S.C. § 120.
- ☒ Executed Declaration in accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.64 will follow
- ☐ An assignment of the invention
- ☒ Preliminary Amendment
- ☐ Information Disclosure Statement w/PTO-1449 and reference(s)
- ☐ Other: Information Sheet

The filing fee has been calculated as shown below:

			LARGE ENTITY	SMALL ENTITY
BASIC FEE			\$770.00	\$385.00
	NUMBER FILED	NUMBER EXTRA	RATE      FEE	RATE      FEE
<b>TOTAL CLAIMS</b>	59- 20 =	39	X 18 = \$702.00	x 9 = \$0.00
<b>INDEPENDENT CLAIMS</b>	9- 3 =	6	x 86 = \$516.00	x 43 = \$0.00
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIMS PRESENTED			+ \$290.00	+ \$145.00
<b>TOTAL</b>			\$2,278.00	\$0.00

- ☒ A check in the amount of \$2,278.00 to cover the filing fee and recording fee (if applicable) is enclosed.
- ☐ Please charge Deposit Account No. 02-2448 in the amount of \$0.00. A triplicate copy of this transmittal form is enclosed.

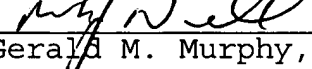
☒ Please send correspondence to:

BIRCH, STEWART, KOLASCH & BIRCH, LLP or Customer No. 02292  
P.O. Box 747  
Falls Church, VA 22040-0747  
(703) 205-8000

If necessary, the Commissioner is hereby authorized in this, concurrent, and future replies, to charge payment or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 02-2448 for any additional fees required under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16 or 1.17; particularly, extension of time fees.

Respectfully submitted,

BIRCH, STEWART, KOLASCH & BIRCH, LLP

By   
Gerald M. Murphy, Jr., #28,977

GMM/rem  
2121-0179P

P.O. Box 747  
Falls Church, VA 22040-0747  
(703) 205-8000

Attachment(s)

(Rev. 11/30/03)